

To Give Territory Power Over Lands

Resolution Would Ask Congress To Let Hawaii Make Land Laws Within Certain Specified Limitations Introduced In The House

(Special Correspondent Maui News.) HONOLULU, March 12.—A concurrent resolution memorializing Congress to amend the Organic Act so as to give the legislature full power over the enactment of territorial land laws has been introduced in the house by Representative William T. Rawlins of Oahu.

The two proposed amendments to the Organic Act, which are made a part of the resolution, make the following provisions:

1. When a general lease on highly cultivated public lands expires, the governor and land commissioner may withdraw from the operation of the present homestead law not more than one-third of the area covered by the lease, and lease this portion at public auction for a period of not more than 21 years upon such terms as may be advantageous to the territory.

2. Any person who, or whose husband or wife, shall have previously homesteaded not more than 10 acres of public land, shall be entitled to exercise an additional homestead right.

3. The governor, land commissioner and land board are authorized to exercise the power and right of selection of homesteaders in all cases of applications for homestead lands, and are given the right to pass on the qualifications and capability of such applicants as homesteaders.

4. Allow any citizen to exercise a preference right who has, or whose predecessors in interest have, continuously resided upon and improved any parcel of public lands since January 1, 1905.

Regarding the first paragraph this provision is made so that, in the case of the lease on plantation lands, expiring, the company may have an opportunity to retain the mill site and a small area of cane land, especially for the employment of laborers during the season when the mill is not in operation.

Many British Soldiers Stay In The Army

LONDON, February 15.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—Thousands of the British army who recently became so war-weary that they openly threatened mutiny unless they were soon discharged, have turned about face and are volunteering for the New Army, according to the military authorities, who assert that they are satisfied that there will be little difficulty in securing the 900,000 men who will do Great Britain's share in safeguarding the peace the Allies have won.

The causes said to have sent the men flocking back to the colors are the unexpectedly large war bonus offered to men who "take on" and the acute industrial situation. The first factor has been of prime importance in the case of boys from 18 to 21 who have been two or more years already in the army and who have no trade to fall back upon in civilian life. In the New Army they will be fed, clothed and sheltered and draw a minimum of about five dollars a week as pocket money. They have quickly awakened to the realization that there is no such prospect awaiting them on a return to "civies."

The industrial upheaval plays the main part in the decision of the older men. In the first rush for demobilization no man was permitted to go who had not a definite offer of employment. The government did all in its power to make certain that such offers were bona-fide but in spite of every precaution thousands of men got their release on bogus papers. These men soon found themselves in an unenviable position. They could not get work and they faced some very uncomfortable inquiries if they applied for the out-of-work pay provided for those who are idle through no fault of their own. The recruiting sergeant was an easy road out of their troubles and that astute individual, who draws a bonus for each recruit, was not blind to his opportunities.

A third factor of minor but real importance is the fact that numbers of men who have been home on liberal leave since the armistice was signed have discovered that they are not nearly so happy out of khaki as they imagined they would be. They frankly admit that they miss the companionship of the army, the lack of responsibility and the easy hours. Now that the war is over the army is resting on its laurels and in the great camps around England "work" is confined to one hour's parade a day with football games, paper chases and other sports to fill in the remainder of the time. That is a considerable contrast to eight or nine hours of monotonous toil in a shop or factory.

The army authorities have not so far made public any figures on recruiting but some indication is offered by the experience of two battalions in one of the largest camps in the south of England. In one unit, where all the men had seen service overseas, more than 200 re-enlisted in less than two weeks. In the other, an "A4" battalion made up of boys under military age, more than 300 took the oath in the same period, a large number for the regulation period of twelve years.

America produces about two-thirds of the cotton crop of the world.

Latest News By Wireless

GERMANS GOING TO PEACE CONFERENCE

(By The Associated Press) WEIMAR, March 13.—The German delegates to the peace conference are—Foreign Minister Count von Brockdorff-Rantau; Dr. Edward David, majority socialist leader and first president of the national assembly; Dr. Adolph Wanburg; Dr. Adolph Muller, German minister to Switzerland; Walter Schuecking, minister Kisbi Kekeisberg post telegraph.

BRITAIN WAITS ON PEACE CONFERENCE

(By The Associated Press) LONDON, March 13.—Lord Admiralty Long introduced a naval estimate of 280,000 officers and men. He declared that until the peace conference decides the world's armament it will be idle to make recommendations for the future. Work has been stopped on a large number of ships.

GERMANS GET FIRST AMERICAN FOOD

(By The Associated Press) DANZIG, March 13.—The first installment of American food stuffs, amounting to 125 tons of food, was turned over to municipal authorities and civil population on condition that law and order be maintained.

KUHIO'S FORESIGHT IS GOOD

(By The Associated Press) HONOLULU, March 13.—Kuhio has jumped into the fight for woman's suffrage. He attended the session of the House this morning and is using his influence for the passage of the bill.

JOHNSON INSISTS HE'S A DIRTY CROOK

(By The Associated Press) HAVANA, March 13.—Jack Johnson, in a statement to the Associated Press, declared that his fight with Willard four years ago, had been pre-arranged to allow Willard to win. For doing this Johnson says he received \$30,000, the rights to the movie proceeds in Europe, and a third of the movie proceeds in the United States. He was also promised help in settling his difficulties with the federal authorities in Chicago.

WILLARD MAKES FLAT DENIAL

(By The Associated Press) LAWRENCE, Kas., March 13.—"Johnson simply needs money and is trying to put over another match. Statement denied." (Signed) "Willard." This is the reply of Jess Willard to Jack Johnson's charge that his fight with the latter four years ago was fixed.

GOVERNMENT EXECUTING PRISONERS

(By The Associated Press) BERLIN, March 13.—The Spartans, under pressure of government troops, using artillery and mine-throwers are abandoning their positions Lichtenberg. The government troops took a large number of prisoners, many of whom were summarily executed.

FILIPINO DELEGATION ENROUTE TO WASHINGTON

(By The Associated Press) HONOLULU, March 13.—Thirty Filipinos are here enroute to Washington. They declined to make a statement regarding the movement for independence of the Philippines, but said they sought closer relations with the United States.

WOMEN FIGHTING WITH SPARTACANS

(By The Associated Press) BERLIN, March 13.—Government troops entered Lichtenberg after bombarding the Spartacan nests. In one group captured were included 10 women. The Lichtenberg soldiers and workmen's council has been dissolved, and seven depots of republican guards abolished.

SAYS SPARTACANS WANT TO QUIT

(By The Associated Press) BERLIN, (Tuesday)—The Spartacans have opened negotiations for surrender to the government forces.

VICTORY LOAN STARTS NEXT MONTH

(By The Associated Press) WASHINGTON, March 12.—The Victory Loan campaign will open April 21 and end May 10. Treasurer Glass will not announce the terms of the loan until a fortnight before the campaign opens.

To the People of Maui:

We have had campaigns for the Red Cross, United War Work, Liberty Bonds and War Savings Stamps and for a number of other worthy purposes, in the last few years.

We will soon have another campaign, a political campaign, in which the women will be particularly interested as they will vote here for the first time. Pending this political campaign it would be a good idea to have a BRIGHTEN UP campaign say the first week in April.

We have not had a real BRIGHTEN UP week here since 1914. Now the war is won and peace will be signed probably about the end of March; the proposed League of Nations promises to soon be a reality; most of the boys are back and many of the others are on their way home; the "flu" is nearly pau and Easter will soon be with us.

Surely NOW is the right time for a real good BRIGHTEN UP CAMPAIGN and the week to hold it is suggested as March 31st to April 5th.

Yours faithfully,
Mollie Maybridge.

BY AUTHORITY

SEALED TENDERS

Sealed Tenders will be received at the office of the County Clerk, County of Maui, T. H. up to 2:00 P. M. Friday, April 11th, 1919, for the furnishing and delivery of 1,800 feet of Rubber Lined Fire Hose.

Specifications and blank forms for proposals are on file in the office of the County Engineer, Wailuku, Maui, T. H. The Board of Supervisors of the County of Maui reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Board of Supervisors.
WM. FRED KAAE,
County Clerk, County of Maui.
(March 7, 14, 21, 28 April 4.)

LODGE MAUI, NO. 472, F. & A. M.



Stated meetings will be held at Masonic Hall, Kahului, on the first Saturday night of each month at 7:30 P. M.

Visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend.
J. H. Pratt, W. M.
W. A. CLARK, Secretary.

ALOHA LODGE NO. 3 KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.



Regular meetings will be held at the Knights of Pythias Hall, Wailuku, on the second and fourth Friday of each month.

All visiting members are cordially invited to attend.
J. H. PRATT, C. C.
A. MARTINSEN, K. R. & S.

At last we have them

We are glad to announce that we have an adequate supply of

GRAFLEX CAMERAS equipped with high-grade lenses for high speed work.

Honolulu Photo Supply Co.
"Everything Photographic"
Kodaks Films Finishing.
1059 Fort St. — Honolulu

PAIA ORCHESTRA

Telephone 52.
Lessons also given on the Ukulele, Mandolin and Steel Guitar.
(2mos.)

K. MACHIDA Drug Store

ICE CREAM
The Best in Town
And a Up-To-Date Soda Fountain
Give Us a Trial
MARKET STREET, : WAILUKU.

N. SANO

CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER

Just received a new stock of Mattresses, poultry netting, paints and oils, furniture, etc. Coffins and General Hardware.

Phone

Market Street Wailuku

THE HOME OF THE Steinway and Starr PIANOS



We have a large stock of Inside Player Pianos at fair prices and easy terms. We take old pianos in exchange.

Thayer Piano Co., Ltd
HONOLULU, HAWAII

MIND YOUR BUSINESS

ALL KINDS OF INSURANCE WRITTEN

LIFE, ACCIDENT, AUTOMOBILE, FIRE AND MARINE

BANK OF MAUI, LTD.
WAILUKU — PAIA — LAHAINA

Catton, Neill & Co., Ltd.

ENGINEERS

Works 2nd and South Streets

General Offices
Merchandise Department.
Electrical Department

Queen and
Alakea Streets

Hawaiian Representatives for—
JEFFREY MANUFACTURING CO'S
LINK BELT CHAINS
CONVEYING MACHINERY
PULVERIZERS—ALGAROA BEAN, LIMA, CORAL, AL-FALFA.

Time Table--Kahului Railroad Co.

Daily Passenger Train Schedule (Except Sunday)

The following schedule went into effect June 4th, 1918.

TOWARDS WAILUKU						TOWARDS HAIKU					
9	7	5	3	1	Distance	Distance	2	4	6	8	10
P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	Miles	Miles	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
5:33	3:30	1:25	8:42	6:35	15.3	A. Wailuku..L	6:40	8:50	1:30	3:35	5:38
5:23	3:20	1:15	8:30	6:25		L. Kahului..A	6:50	9:00	1:40	3:45	5:48
5:20	3:17	1:12	8:27	6:22	12.0	L. Kahului..L	6:52	9:02	1:42	3:47	5:50
5:10	3:07	1:02	8:17	6:12		L. Spreck..A	7:02	9:12	1:52	3:57	5:50
5:09	3:05	1:01	8:15	6:10	8.4	L. Spreck..L	7:03	9:13	1:53	3:58	5:51
5:00	2:55	1:00	8:05	6:00	5.5	L. Spreck..A	7:15	9:25	2:05	4:10	6:00
4:58	2:53	1:00	8:03	5:58		L. Paia..L	7:17	9:27	2:07	4:12	6:02
4:52	2:47	1:00	7:57	5:52		L. Hama..A	7:24	9:34	2:14	4:19	6:09
4:51	2:46	1:00	7:56	5:51	3.4	L. Hama..L	7:25	9:35	2:15	4:20	6:10
4:45	2:40	1:00	7:50	5:45		L. Knapoko..L	7:33	9:43	2:23	4:28	6:18
4:44	2:39	1:00	7:49	5:44	1.4	L. Pauwela..L	7:35	9:45	2:25	4:30	6:20
4:40	2:35	1:00	7:45	5:40		L. Haiku..A	7:40	9:50	2:30	4:35	6:25

PUUNENE DIVISION

TOWARDS PUUNENE				TOWARDS KAHULUI			
3	1	Distance	STATIONS	Distance	Passenger	Passenger	Passenger
P.M.	A.M.	Miles	Miles	Miles	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
2:50	6:00	0	L. Kahului..A	2:5	6:22	8:15	
3:00	6:10	2.5	A. Puunene..L	0	6:12	8:05	

- All trains daily except Sundays.
- A Special Train (Labor Train) will leave Wailuku daily, except Sundays, at 5:30 a. m., arriving at Kahului at 5:50 a. m., and connecting with the 6:00 a. m. train for Puunene.
- BAGGAGE RATES: 150 pounds of personal baggage will be carried free of charge on each whole ticket, and 75 pounds on each half ticket, when baggage is in charge of and on the same train as the holder of the ticket. For excess baggage 25 cents per 100 pounds or part thereof will be charged.

For Ticket Fares and other information see Local Passenger Tariff I. C. C. No. 3, or inquire at any of the Depots.

KAMEHAMEHA Red Label PURE KONA COFFEE

A healthy, sensible beverage that helps the mind to think clearly and cleanly.

In the red package at your grocer.

AMERICAN FACTORS, LTD.
WHOLESALE DISTRIBUTORS